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BOX: PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Re: Application of Shinji IMAI, Hiroaki YASUDA
IMAGE READ-OUT METHOD AND SYSTEM, SOLID IMAGE SENSOR, AND IMAGE DETECTING SHEET
Our Reference: Q56555

Dear Sir:

Attached hereto is the application identified above including the specification, claims, one (1) priority document, preliminary amendment and twenty-six (26) sheets of drawings. The requisite U.S. Government Filing Fee, executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and Assignment will be submitted at a later date.

The Government filing fee is calculated as follows:

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| Total Claims | 58 - 20 = | 38 x \$18 = | \$ 684.00 |
| Independent Claims | 13 - 3 = | 10 x \$78 = | \$ 780.00 |
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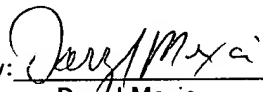
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